

**TABLE 19: PERIOD HARDSHIP MUST BE SHOWN
WITH APPLICATION DATE FOR CAHs**

Exception	Period of Consideration for Exception	Submit Application For FY2015 No later than
Insufficient Internet access – CAHs	Demonstrate insufficient internet access for any 90 day period within the cost reporting period that begins prior to or during the payment adjustment year	Nov 30, 2015
New CAH	New CAH granted an exception for one full cost reporting period after they admit their first Medicare patient	Guidance to be issued following publication of the final rule
Extreme Circumstances outside of the CAH's Control	Oct 1 through Sept 30 of the payment adjustment year	Nov 30, 2015